RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 -**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 2176**

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of two (2) months to respond to the Notice of Appeal dated April 11, 2006, and the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review dated May 12, 2006. 2. Applicant is a small entity; other than a small entity. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)): 3. Fee For Other **Total Months** Fee for Requested Than Small Entity Small Entity \$120.00 \$60.00 one month \$450.00 \$225.00 two months \$1,020.00 \$510.00 three months \$795.00 \$1,590.00 four months \$2,160.00 \$1,080.00 five months* *Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action. is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee. All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing \boxtimes Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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